

## Message Text

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INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 ISO-00 IO-13 MCT-01 PM-05 NSC-05  
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R 141018Z APR 78  
FM AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6011  
INFO AMEMBASSY LUXEMBOURG

C O N F I D E N T I A L BRUSSELS 07254

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ALSO FOR USEEC

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PDIP, PLO  
SUBJECT: PALESTINIAN REPRESENTATION ABROAD

REF: A) STATE 91578, B) LUXEMBOURG 409,  
C) BRUSSELS 7026, D) 76 BRUSSELS 10574

1. THERE IS A PLO INFORMATION AND LIAISON OFFICE IN  
BRUSSELS ESTABLISHED IN OCTOBER 1976. PRIOR TO  
THAT TIME, THE PLO REPRESENTATIVE HERE WORKED OUT  
OF THE OFFICE OF THE ARAB LEAGUE. THE PLO OFFICE  
IS PRESENTLY COMPRISED OF A DIRECTOR, MR. NAIM  
KHADER, AND ONE STAFF EMPLOYEE.

2. BESIDES THIS SEPARATE OFFICE AND A PLAQUE ON  
THE DOOR, THE PLO HAS NO SPECIAL STATUS IN BELGIUM NOR  
ENJOYS ANY DIPLOMATIC PRIVILEGES OR IMMUNITIES.  
DIRECTOR KHADER IS VERY ACTIVE IN LARGE BELGIAN AND  
EEC DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIONAL CIRCUIT AND CALLS  
PERIODICALLY ON FOREIGN MINISTRY WORKING-LEVEL  
OFFICIALS RESPONSIBLE FOR MIDDLE EAST AFFAIRS.

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3. THERE APPEAR TO BE NO REPRESENTATIVES OF PLO  
COMPONENT ELEMENTS OR OF OTHER PALESTINIAN  
ORGANIZATIONS IN BELGIUM. OLSEN

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## Message Attributes

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